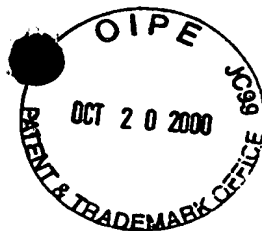


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RESPONSE

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

In response to the outstanding Office Action of July 20, 2000, please amend the
above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 3, 13, 22-31, 34, and 42-46 without prejudice.

Please amend Claims 1, 4, 7, 11, 14, 17, 32, 35, and 38 as follows:

B.1. --1. (Amended) A facsimile machine comprising:
a printer unit for printing out data having a predetermined format; and
interface means, coupled to said printer unit, for converting facsimile image data into
recording data having a format in which said printer unit can input the recording data, and for
supplying the recording data to said printer unit, wherein said printer unit comprises:
a printing portion for printing recording data; and

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SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
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- ☐ Additional documents filed herewith:

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